

SEEN AT STRAND TOY MATINEE

IN THE FIGHT
FOR FREEDOM

Doings of those serving
their country on land,
on the sea, and in the air.

Contributions welcomed
for this column—Phone
12.

Miss Dorothy Barber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barber of Newmarket, has been accepted in the C.W.A.C. and reports for duty early in January in Toronto.

LAC Kenneth Ponting of the R.C.A.F., Ottawa, was home on special leave to attend the funeral of LAC Ross Cook on Saturday.

Pte. Stewart Dow was home for the weekend from Barrieffield where he is now stationed. LAC Jack Brown of the R.A.F., England, who is stationed at Medicine Hat, Alta., is visiting at the Ponting home.

PLAY FOR ST. KITT'S

Three Newmarket boys are playing hockey in St. Catharines this winter. Hugh "Scotty" Mair and "Chick" Webster (Glenville) are playing on the senior team and Bill Jolley of the Bell Telephone Co. is playing on the junior team.

RIDE ON CARRIER



A group of children interested in Newmarket's effort in the war savings campaign is pictured on a universal carrier of which Newmarket is pledging itself to buy two each month.

ATTEND TOY MATINEE



Two of the large number of children who attended the toy matinee at the Strand Theatre last Saturday morning were John Marwood, who brought a pair of skates and boots, and Allene Bartolomew, who brought a book.

ERA APPEARS EARLY

Next week's Era will appear on Wednesday, Dec. 17, and the following week's on Monday, Dec. 22. Correspondents and advertisers are asked to help with early copy. Readers are invited to send in news of the visitors they expect for Christmas or of any visits they themselves are planning.

STALWARTS OF
OLD RECALLED
BY HISTORIAN

THRIVING BUSINESS OF BY
GONE DAYS RECALLED
BY J. M. WALTON

EX-MAYOR SPEAKS

While with three large industries Newmarket may today occupy a more important place in Canada, there was a time when Newmarket was more important than she is today in relation to the county.

Those early days when Newmarket was a thriving centre of trade and district commerce were described by J. M. Walton of Aurora at the Lions club meeting at the King George hotel on Monday evening. A. C. West introduced the speaker. President W. M. Cockburn was in the chair.

Former mayor of Aurora, Mr. Walton is of pioneer Quaker descent and has devoted years of research to York county history.

Among the stalwart business men whom Mr. Walton mentioned were James Sutherland, Newmarket's first reeve, who welcomed the Prince of Wales with the words, "We're glad you came to the town and how was your mother when you left?" Robert Simpson, who went on to Toronto to found his great department store and mail-order business, and Danford Roche, who had a business in Newmarket with over 50 employees.

"Danford Roche had millinery and other departments to his business," said Mr. Walton. "He opened a branch in Aurora and built probably the first private telephone line in Ontario between his Aurora and Newmarket stores. He opened a business on Yonge St., Toronto, that was a rival to Timothy Eaton's."

"Newmarket in the old days was a very aggressive town with very able business men. I think Newmarket in the old days was more important in the county than it is today. You may challenge that statement, but transportation has made great changes. The railway brought business to Newmarket and killed Holland Landing, but today you wouldn't have a railway in Newmarket if it were not a through line. Trucks and buses have changed the transportation world."

"When the Metropolitan railway came and ran up Main St. you were crowded indeed. And there were crowds to double-track it from Toronto to Jackson's Point."

"At night you look out and see the trans-Canada planes going overhead and traffic increasing all the time."

"William Roe, Newmarket's first postmaster, used to do \$40,000 to \$50,000 trade annually with the Indians, 300 or 400 of whom would come to Newmarket in a batch to trade with him. Roe went to Albany in a wagon to get his goods."

"At the time of the union of Upper and Lower Canada when Baldwin and Lafontaine appealed to the people, Baldwin went to a lower Canada riding to run and Lafontaine came to this riding, one of the Yorks. Roe ran unsuccessfully against Lafontaine."

"Then you still have on Eagle St. as you come into the town the squarish brown house of Sir John Beverley Robinson, who was chief justice of Upper Canada. Many distinguished guests were entertained in that house."

"I have recently been to see a Newmarket man who forms an interesting link with the past. You know him as Charles Kirby, Huron St. His real name is Carlos Corbier and he is 87 years old. His father used to carry the mail from the Landing to Penetang, 60 miles, in a day."

HOCKEYISTS HOLD PARTY

Newmarket hockey executives and fans held their annual party on Friday night, to clean up last year's liabilities and to put the club on its feet financially. A contribution from the party will be made to a war charity.

WAS NOT PRESENT

In a report of an inquest last week The Era used the name of Mrs. Earl Fogal instead of that of Mrs. Mervyn Fogal, wife of the deceased man. Mrs. Earl Fogal was not a member of the party.

Town Misses Good
Advertising, Gets
Bad, States M. O. H.

C.N.R. Will Beautify Its Property, Dr. Wesley
Reports, Next Move Is Up To Town Of Newmarket

The C.N.R. station grounds are to be beautified next spring, and if the town takes action to overcome the unsightliness of the town dump, thousands of travellers through Newmarket will get a much more pleasant impression of the town, Dr. J. H. Wesley, M.O.H., reported to the town council on Monday evening.

Dr. Wesley wrote that this developed out of two complaints received, one about the condition of the stockyards at the station, and another about an open drain on the station property. P. F. Fox, C.N.R. superintendent at Allandale, had remedied the stockyards condition with cinders and had promised that they would be kept clean and dry.

Mr. Fox and Dr. Wesley also found that the open ditch had been made less offensive, and Mr. Fox, Dr. Wesley reported, turned the tables on the town by complaining about the offensive odor from the town dump, its unsightly appearance and its overflow of garbage on to C.N.R. property.

Says Town Not Interested
In "Nicking" Government

COUNCILLORS ARE NOT IN
SYMPATHY WITH
SOUTHERN YORK

Newmarket town council is not interested in a county council attempt to get taxes out of dominion government war industries, or military camps.

Reeve Fred A. Lundy reported that the question was coming before the county council. "We had expenses of \$2,200 re the camp in 1940, and we lost the taxes on the Stickwood farm," Mr. Lundy said.

"It is a different question before the county council," Deputy-Reeve Joseph Vale said. "The suburban municipalities went after war industries and now they are trying to nick the government for taxes."

"The government is embarrassed enough," said Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales. "The town made an agreement to pay part of the rent for the Stickwood farm, and that has to stand."

Youthful Invalid Was
Courageous Sufferer

An invalid for the past 12 years, Margaret Coyle, Main St. north, passed away suddenly at York county hospital Sunday afternoon some few minutes after she had been admitted.

For the last five years she had been confined to her bed and the year previous to this she had spent in the Toronto General hospital, where the best specialists endeavored to effect a cure. Ten days ago her condition became critical and she was taken to the hospital for intravenous feeding.

Born on Simcoe St., Newmarket, 30 years ago, the only child of Hattie Forhan and the late William Coyle, she attended St. John's separate school and the Newmarket high school. Following her graduation, she had been employed just a few months when stricken.

Despite her great affliction, she never lost her keen sense of humor and enjoyed the frequent visits of her school-day chums. An ardent sport fan and follower of the Maple Leaf hockey team, she had listened to the game on Saturday night as well as to the rugby match in the afternoon. Books, her radio and knitting, at which she was very adept, helped pass the weary days and years.

Margaret's magnificent fortitude in patient suffering will long be remembered by the host of friends throughout the district. Requiem high mass was celebrated on Wednesday morning by Captain the Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle at St. John's R.C. church. Interment took place in St. John's cemetery. Frank Bowser, Lawrence Racine, Eugene McCaffrey, Staff Sergeant Ernest McCaffrey, Donald Gilkes and Angus West acted as pallbearers.

To her mother, who has so faithfully looked after her during these years, goes the deepest sympathy.

MAKE FURTHER DONATION

A further donation from Saturday afternoon club for the Queen's Canadian fund of \$1.67 has been received. This makes a total of \$7.02 this group of young girls has donated.

NEWMARKET'S
1ST CASUALTY
IS YOUNG FLIER

ROSS COOK BURIED WITH
MILITARY HONORS, KILLED
AT HAGERSVILLE

A fine tribute to LAC Francis Ross Cook of the R.C.A.F., who was killed in a flying accident at Hagersville on Thursday, was paid on Monday morning at Newmarket high school by Principal J. B. Bastedo and a minute's silence was observed by the school.

Born in Barrie on May 28, 1917, Francis Ross Cook was the son of Mabel Leishman and Francis E. Cook. He moved to Newmarket with his parents 23 years ago when his father became C.N.R. agent here, and attended Newmarket public and high schools, where he was a popular student and fond of athletics. LAC Cook was a member of the United church.

He enlisted with the R.C.A.F. on his birthday this year and before being moved to Hagersville had been stationed at Oshawa. He had been slated for a commission and was given his pilot officer's wings posthumously.

Following his graduation from high school LAC Cook worked in Toronto for two years and while there was a member of the Y.M.C.A. He returned to Newmarket and operated a station on north Main St. and later worked at Lansing. Just prior to his enlistment he worked at the C.N.R., Newmarket.

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MILK MUCH BETTER,
DR. WESLEY REPORTS

"A decided improvement in Newmarket's milk" is apparent from the most recent report from the Ontario department of health received by Dr. J. H. Wesley, M.O.H.

A report from Dr. Wesley before the town council on Monday evening stated that he had asked J. R. Lockhart, milk inspector, "to notify all shippers to the Newmarket dairies whose bacterial count had been too high that, without they had a decided improvement in the quality of their milk, they would be stopped from further shipment."

Dr. Wesley said that Mr. Lockhart had visited the shippers "and explained to them the care of the equipment that was necessary on their part, in order to preserve the quality of the milk and to keep the bacteria count low, with the good effect that the report from the department which came in today shows a very decided improvement of all samples from both shippers and dairies."

"Even if it is war-time and labor scarce, we are not going to allow dirty milk with a bacterial count of over a million and innumerable colon bacteria to come into the town dairies with the hope that it can be pasteurized and be fit for human consumption."

LAST CALL GIVEN
FOR DIPHTHERIA TOXOID

Owing to the epidemic of whooping cough, quite a number of children missed one dose of the diphtheria toxoid.

These will be taken care of at the office of the M.O.H., 85 Main St., where the doctor and a nurse will be in attendance on Friday of this week from 3 to 5 p.m.

This will be the last opportunity this year. All the certificates for the children who have been toxoided are ready and will be placed with the teachers of the different schools. The certificates for the pre-school children will be left with Mr. Jackson at the King George school.

IS WITH ACTIVE SERVICE



Pte. Stewart Dow is stationed at Barrieffield Camp, Kingston. He is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ponting of Newmarket and is well known in the town.

Lions' Santa Claus
Has A Job To Do,
Needs Help Of All

Christmas Time Is Chance To Give Gracefully,
Santa Can Go Into Homes Where Charity Can't

There is one appeal that Newmarket people never fail, to answer—the annual call to help Santa Claus fill the stockings of the less fortunate of Newmarket's children.

Santa is calling now for help and lots of help. "Help the Lions help the kiddies," he appeals.

Despite brave appearance there are many, many homes in Newmarket that desperately need help through the winter months. Christmas is everybody's opportunity to help without hurting anybody's feelings.

The Lions club is taking the lead. Members of the club are purchasing the clothes and toys and food to go into the boxes, and are performing the great task of packing several hundred boxes.

Everybody gets a chance to help through a contribution to the fund. Make your gift through this newspaper or direct to H. E. Lambert as treasurer of the fund. Over \$500 is needed.

Disregard Of Law Said
Cause Of Town Epidemics

CHICKEN POX EPIDEMIC IS
VERY SERIOUS IN
SOME CASES

"A lot of people in town have been disregarding the regulations for the control of communicable diseases, with the result we are fighting at the present time scarlet fever, whooping cough and a whole lot of chicken pox," Dr. J. H. Wesley, M.O.H., told The Era this week. "Though chicken pox is usually mild, there have been a few young children who have suffered from a severe type of the disease, so severe, in fact, that there was a great deal of anxiety about their recovery."

"Doctors, parents and householders are under obligation to

report chicken pox, whooping cough and scarlet fever, under a liability to a fine in a magistrate's court for failure to do so. "It is about two years since a young man in town paid a \$25 fine for breaking the quarantine regulations for measles."

Government Must Make
Farming Pay, Says Drew

TELLS YORK FARMERS OF
WORK DONE BY
BRITAIN'S FARMERS

"They explained to me that the supply of agricultural products is just as important as the supply of shells. They recognize that they must make farming attractive from the point of view of making money."

Telling of his recent visit to Britain, Col. George Drew, leader of the Conservative opposition in the Ontario legislature, told the York County Federation of Agriculture of the organization of British agriculture for war, at a meeting in the town hall on Friday evening.

Reeve James Rennie of Markham presided. Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales welcomed the visiting farmers.

Col. Drew said that "this country must face as a nation the problem of agriculture and my opinion is that the best way to face that problem is the way used in Britain, but I don't think you can do it without the direction of labor that they have in Britain."

Col. Drew explained that in Britain there are a farmers' union and a farm labor union and that these two organizations co-operate with county agricultural committees which have power to say whether men shall serve on the farm or in the armed forces. Col. Drew advocated "compulsory selective service" in Canada, covering both industry and the armed forces.

Col. Drew paid warm tribute to the ability and work of W. M. Cockburn, county agricultural representative.

PICKERING'S MACBETH
DELIGHTS VISITORS

It was "open house" at Pickering College on Saturday. Visitors day found the classrooms the scene of a fascinating display of work, materials and methods.

The evening's performance of "Macbeth" under the direction of F. D. L. Stewart of the staff was an unqualified success. The students enjoyed themselves as thoroughly as did the appreciative audience.

The settings were made under the usual ingenious and imaginative direction of Rudy Renzius. In the afternoon Pickering seniors defeated Forest Hill high school 35-22 in convincing fashion in Canada's first "golden ball" game. C. R. Blackstock of the staff handled the game.

Staff-Sergeant Ernest McCaffrey of Camp Borden attended the funeral of Miss Margaret Coyle.

CHRISTMAS EVENTS

Santa Claus is the biggest "coming event" of the moment. He is "casting his shadow before" on the following days: Friday, Dec. 19, prize market at Newmarket; Saturday, Dec. 20, Santa Claus himself with candies for the kiddies; Tuesday, Dec. 23, special Christmas market.

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SET HOLIDAY

Friday, Dec. 26, was declared a holiday, "Boxing Day," by the town council on Monday evening. This is not expected to affect factories but will enable banks to close. Most stores will probably close.

VETERANS ENTERTAIN
NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT

The annually looked forward to dance, euchre and draw of the Newmarket Veterans Association will take place in the town hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 18.

President Alf. Smith and Secretary John Duffield are authority for the statement that a lot of planning and preparation has gone into this event. There is a good deal of interest in the ten games that are being given away, with Christmas so close!

Attractive euchre prizes are being offered. The usual large and jolly crowd is expected.

LAWBREAKERS KEEP

TOWN POLICE BUSY
Thirty dollars was stolen from the till at Webster Motors on Nov. 27. A soldier will answer a charge of theft as a result.

A tire was stolen following a break-in at O. Forsythe's White Rose service station last Friday. "Jerry" Germain's booth, Prospect St., was broken into and \$6 worth of merchandise stolen last Thursday. The same night attempts were made to steal three cars, one at the Office Specialty, the other two in the garages of J. R. Lockhart and George Byers.

Chief Constable James Sloss and Constable Kenneth Mount have been investigating these cases.

BREAKS ARM

Miss F. S. Ancient, matron at Pickering College, fell and broke the upper part of her left arm on Saturday.

Coming Events

Monday, Dec. 15—The Canadian Girls in Training of Trinity United church are holding "open night" at the church at 7 p.m. Parents and friends are cordially invited to be present. c1w45
Wednesday, Dec. 17—The public school Christmas concert at the high school auditorium at 7:30 p.m. The public is cordially invited. Auspices of the Home and School Association. Silver collection to defray expenses. c1w45
Thursday, Dec. 18—Salvation Army annual Christmas entertainment at 8 p.m. Dialogues, recitations and Santa Claus. Admission free.

READ ERA CLASSIFIEDS

CHURCHES

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

WALNUT CHESTS for GIFTS

My Answers Are

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.

Name _____

Address _____

ONLY CLASSIFIED WORDS TO UNSCRAMBLE, BUT LACK OF A'S MAKES BIT OF A GAMBLE

Answers to last week's contest, sent in on time and correct, totalled 30. Correct answers were: Stalin, timbers, through-out, without, Leghorn, condition, Halifax, Roosevelt, Petain, Churchill.

Winners were drawn as follows at F. N. Chandler's: Mrs. J. R. Lee, Newmarket, Clifford Johnson, R.R. 1, Queensville, Mrs. Dorothy McCann, Newmarket, Mrs. E. C. Johnson, 3 Huron St., Newmarket, and Miss Helen McBride, Newmarket. They may pick up their double passes to the Strand theatre any evening at the show either next Tuesday evening to see Madeline Carroll in "One Night in Lisbon," and Alice Faye, John Payne and Carmen Miranda in "Weekend in Havana," or next Thursday evening to see George Brent and Martha Scott in "They Dare Not Love," and Lon Chaney, Jr., and Anna Neagle in "Man Made Monster."

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST
Five double passes to the

WANT-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 40 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent, additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

E. A. BOYD
17 Main St.
REAL ESTATE - For Sale: Farms, Houses, Acreages, Lots, Insurance - Automobile, Fire and Casualty.

FOR RENT

For rent - 160 acres. Good soil. 10 acres fall wheat. Good bank barn. Good house. Water. Quantity ploughing done. Apply Mrs. Fred Johnston, c/o Percy James, Queensville, phone Queensville 522. *3w13

FOR RENT - One furnished bedroom. Heated. Newly decorated. Apply 51 Prospect Ave. *2w11

FOR RENT - 8-roomed house in Queensville. Hydronic Gas Range. Barn. Henhouse. 3 acres land. Apply Harry Knights, Queensville, or phone Queensville 596. *3w15

FOR SALE OR RENT

For sale or rent - 6-roomed house, with sun-room, brick veneer. Mark St., Aurora, north end. Hardwood throughout. All conveniences. Apply E. L. Dillman, Box 327, Brampton. Possession immediately. *3w11

FOR SALE

For sale - Pair Indian tube skates and boots, size 8. Just like new. Reasonable. Apply 216 Main St., Newmarket. *1w15

For sale - Lady's winter coat with fur collar, size 16 to 18. Youth's corduroy breeches, with long wool stockings and Jaeger wool cap, suitable for skiing or hunting. Apply 65 Botsford St., Newmarket. *1w15

For sale - English pram. Good condition. For quick sale. Apply 51 Park Ave. *2w11

For sale - Child's steel crib. Practically new. Apply Cameron Wheeler, north Main St., Newmarket. *2w15

For sale - Furnace. Can be seen at 11 Raglan St. Reason for selling is under capacity for the volume of heating space. Apply I. H. Travis, R.R. 1, Queensville. *2w15

For sale - Electric heater. Almost new. Phone 480, Newmarket. *1w15

For sale - 1 cook stove, nearly new. 1 Findlay circulator, large size. May be seen at Geer and Byers, Botsford St. *1w15

For sale - One cook stove. Good condition. Nickel and enamel finish. Apply Alfred Dennis, Gormham St. *1f13

For sale - 1929 Ford Coach. Completely overhauled. Cheap for cash. Also 200 fish boxes, suit for seedmen. Some good bags. Apply 19 Main St., Newmarket. *1w15

CHRISTMAS TREES

For sale - Christmas trees. Various prices. Excellent trees. Order your tree now and have it delivered when convenient. Tommy Dales, 150 Main St., Newmarket. *2w15

SALE REGISTER

Saturday, Dec. 13 - Auction sale of five acres mixed wood at lot 9, con. 4, North Gwillimbury, the property of Fred Breckon, wood to be sold in 1/4 acre lots, more or less, and to be moved by Dec. 15, 1942, brush to be piled. Sale at 2 p.m. Terms strictly cash. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer. *2w14

Wednesday, Dec. 17 - Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., on the farm of the late George A. Corner, near Pefferlaw, Ont., being parts of lot 24, con. 5, lot 24, con. 4, lot 25, con. 4, and lot 24, con. 3, Georgina Township. Sale at 1 p.m. S.T. Terms of sale cash. Fred Smith, auctioneer, Newmarket. *2w14

Wednesday, Dec. 17 - Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., the property of Geo. M. Draper, lot 33, con. 3, East Gwillimbury, 3 miles north of Queensville on the highway. Terms cash. Sale at 1 p.m. S.T. J. A. Grant, clerk. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer. *1w15

Town of Newmarket COURT OF REVISION

TAKE NOTICE that the Court of Revision for the Town of Newmarket will meet on Monday, the twenty-second day of December, A.D. 1941, at the hour of 3 p.m., in the Council Chambers, Main St., Newmarket, to hear appeals from the Assessment Roll for the Town of Newmarket made in the year 1941.

DATED at Newmarket this eleventh day of December, 1941.
N. L. MATTHEWS, Clerk. *1w15

BIRTHS

Hickman - At York county hospital, Dec. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. John Hickman, Aurora, a son.

Jackson - At York county hospital, Dec. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Jackson, Bradford, a daughter.

Oldham - At York county hospital, Dec. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Oldham, Mount Albert, a daughter.

Wiltshire - At York county hospital, Dec. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wiltshire, King, a son.

DEATHS

Coyle - At Newmarket, on Sunday, Dec. 7, Margaret Lucy Coyle, only daughter of Mrs. Coyle and the late William Coyle, in her 31st year.

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Gibbons - At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Paxton, Kettleby, on Thursday, Dec. 11, Luke Gibbons, father of John, Montana, Frank, Richmond Hill, and Mrs. Geo. Paxton, in his 96th year.

Funeral mass at St. John's church, Newmarket, on Saturday, Dec. 13, at 10:30 a.m., D.S.T. Interment St. John's cemetery.

Gould - Suddenly, at Schomberg, on Saturday, Dec. 6, John Henry Gould, husband of Ida Bateman and father of Roy, Mervin, Mrs. Leppard, and Mary at home, in his 72nd year.

The funeral service was held on Tuesday at his residence, Interment in St. John's cemetery, Tecumseh.

Grant - At the General and Marine Hospital, Owen Sound, on Dec. 4, Lois Kathleen Reid, wife of James M. Grant and sister of Mrs. A. J. Forte (Muriel), Roche's Point, George Reid of Toronto and Leslie E. Reid of Baltimore, Ont.

The funeral service was held in Toronto on Saturday, December 13, at 10 a.m., at Mount Pleasant cemetery, Toronto.

Naylor - At York county hospital, Newmarket, on Monday, Dec. 8, Charles Naylor, husband of Sara Marshall, father of Mrs. Lindsay (Mildred), Mrs. E. V. Underhill (Elma), in his 80th year.

The funeral service was held in Aurora on Wednesday afternoon, December 10, 1941, at 2 p.m., at St. Michael's hospital, Toronto, on Friday, Dec. 5, Douglas Evans Rogers, in his 37th year, husband of Margaret Ogilvie and father of Sheila and son of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Rogers and brother of Gordon, Cora, Verma, Leona and Norma.

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Pastor: Rev. H. V. Muxworthy
Special services continue nightly until Sunday
REV. ROBERT MORTENSEN of Collingswood, N.J., Poet, Preacher, Singer
Sunday-school rally and morning service combined at 10 a.m. on Sunday. A picture of the speaker and one of his poems will be given to everyone present at Sunday-school.
Closing service at 7:15 p.m. Sunday.
Hear the Nazarene Hour, CHML, 9:30-10 p.m., at 800K, centre of your dial, each Sunday.

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Pastor-REV. ARTHUR GREER
Sunday, Dec. 11
11 a.m.-Rev. A. J. G. Carscadlen, secretary of The Canadian Institute for the Blind.
7 p.m.-The pastor. Subject: "JAPAN, GOD AND OURSELVES IN THE KING."
2:30 p.m.-Sunday-school.
Note-White Gift Service next Sunday, Dec. 21, of coins and bills wrapped in white, to be sent for Christmas Cheer to bombed out children in Britain.

NEWMARKET GOSPEL TABERNACLE

12 Millard Ave.
Just west of Main St.
Pastor: REV. L. R. COUPLAND
Sunday, Dec. 14
10 a.m.-Sunday-school
11 a.m.-Morning worship. Pastor will preach.
7 p.m.-Cameron Orr, a missionary to the sailors on the Great Lakes, will speak. Special music.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.-Prayer and Bible study.
Friday, 6:45 p.m.-Crusaders.
Friday, 8 p.m.-Young People's Society.
"Draw nigh to God and He will draw nigh to you."
All are welcome

ST. ANDREWS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister: REV. J. A. KOFFEND
Sunday, Dec. 14
11 a.m.-Morning worship
2:30 p.m.-Sunday-school and Bible class.
7 p.m.-THE TRAVELLER (illustrated). Our Sunday-school will join in this White Gift service. Won't you come too? Illustrated Christmas carols.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

Pastor: Rev. Dr. A. E. Runnells
Sunday, Dec. 14
11 a.m.-Christmas White Gift Service. The Sunday-school will furnish the program. Dr. Runnells will give a brief address. All will bring white gifts.
7 p.m.-Dr. Runnells will preach on "ETERNAL CANDOR" Fireside hour follows, conducted by the choir.
Soldiers and visitors heartily welcome.

Toronto on Monday. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Sabin - At King, on Wednesday, Dec. 3, Isaac A. Sabin, husband of the late Mary Haines and father of Fred Sabin, aged 92 years.

The funeral service was held in Toronto on Friday, Interment Prospect cemetery, Toronto.

Sawdon - At the residence of his nephew, Horace Smockum, lot 6, con. 5, Scott township, on Thursday, Dec. 4, William James Sawdon, formerly of Aurora, in his 79th year.

The funeral service was held in Aurora on Sunday. Interment at Hartman cemetery.

Taylor - At his late residence, lot 19, con. 2, Whitchurch township, Friday, Dec. 5, Arthur, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor, in his 71st year.

The funeral service was held in Aurora on Sunday. Interment Aurora cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Cook and family wish to express their heartfelt thanks to their neighbors, relatives and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes extended them during their recent bereavement.

YOUNG COUPLE ARE WED IN TORONTO

Miss Merle Ardelle Livingstone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Livingstone, Indian Head, Sask., became the bride last Thursday of Albert Herbert Atkins, son of Mr. Herbert Atkins, Newmarket, and the late Mrs. Atkins. The wedding ceremony took place at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Harold Fleming, Lytton Blvd., Toronto. Rev. R. G. Carruthers officiated. Mrs. Roy Hammett played the wedding music.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Harold Fleming, the bride wore romance blue silk crepe and matching hat and carried pink roses, Rubrum lilies and white flowers. The bridesmaid was Miss Kathleen Haney, who wore a wine gown and matching hat. She carried pink and white snapdragons. The flower girl was Miss Maradel Fleming, who wore a dress of pink Swiss organdy and carried a nosegay of sweet peas. The best man was Ivan Atkins of Newmarket, brother of the groom.

A reception was held at the home of Mrs. Harold Fleming. The couple later left for Ottawa, the bride wearing a dusky pink jersey wool gown, black accessories and a corsage of Rubrum lilies. They will reside in Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holmes and Master Donald Holmes of Stratford spent the weekend in Newmarket as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Courtney.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dillman of Brampton were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Langhurst.

Miss Margaret Coyle of Toronto spent a couple of days this week with their sister, Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey, and Mr. McCaffrey, and attended the funeral of Miss Margaret Coyle of Newmarket.

Miss Marjorie McCann of Toronto spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Bert McCann, Mrs. Joseph Watts and Mr. Irwin Watts of Aurora were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Langhurst.

Miss Edna Murphy of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murphy.

HOLD MARKET BASKET

On Friday, Dec. 12, the Ladies Aid of St. Paul's church are holding their annual market basket sale in the memorial hall from 3 to 6 p.m. Delicious home-baked, cooked meats and candy will be featured, as well as attractive jelly, pickles, fruit and vegetables. A well-filled market basket will be awarded to some lucky buyer. Afternoon tea will be served. Everybody welcome. *2w14

POPLAR BANK

The Christmas concert is being held in the school on Dec. 17 at 8:30 p.m.

GIVE \$50 TO RED CROSS

The Newmarket Red Cross received a donation from the Cherokee club of \$50 towards the blanket fund.

Donations to the blanket fund now total \$204, which has been forwarded to Red Cross headquarters.

BRIDE'S UNCLE PERFORMS NUPTIALS

A wedding of interest was solemnized at St. George's church, Allandale, on Friday, when Alberta V. Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. R. Simpson of Newmarket, became the bride of Sgt. John S. Choppin, son of Mrs. H. E. Choppin of Newmarket and the late Mr. Choppin.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. Fierheller, uncle of the bride. St. George's church, the scene of the ceremony, was built while Rev. Canon Edward Morgan, the groom's great grandfather, was rector there.

The bride wore a smart Harris tweed suit, with green hat and accessories.

Those who attended the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. F. O. R. Simpson, Mrs. H. E. Choppin and Mrs. G. E. Barnes of Newmarket, and Mr. Douglas Stewart and Miss Margaret Stewart of Barrie.

After the ceremony the party went to the home of Mr. Douglas Stewart of Barrie, uncle of the groom, for a buffet lunch.

The young couple left for a trip to Montreal and returned on Wednesday.

VANITY BEAUTY SHOPPE WILL BE REOPENED

Miss Elsie Plowright, an experienced hairdresser, is opening the Vanity Beauty Shoppe at 146 Main St. on Monday, Dec. 15.

Miss Plowright is purchasing the business from Miss Margaret Robinson.

STURDY - GRAHAM

Hazel Mary Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Marshall of Sutton West, became the bride of Vernon Lawrence Sturdy of the R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Oliver Sturdy of Keswick, on Nov. 20. The ceremony took place at the Church of St. John, the Evangelist, Montreal, by Rev. Canon Davison.

In Memoriam

Come - In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Harry Comer, who died in the Toronto General hospital, Dec. 14, 1940.

God knew that he was suffering. That the hills were hard to climb. So he closed his weary eyelids. And whispered, peace be thine.

Away in the beautiful hills of God By the valley of rest so fair. Some time, some day, we know not when We will meet our loved one there.

Sadly missed by wife and family.

Come - In loving memory of our dear father, Harry Comer, who passed away in the Toronto General hospital, Dec. 14, 1940.

With tears we watched you sinking. We watched you pass away. We tended you with loving care But could not make you stay.

We watched your beautiful bedside As the lonely hours passed away. And how our hearts were broken When we saw you breathe your last.

Our lips cannot tell how we miss you. Our hearts cannot tell what to say. God only knows how we miss you In a home that is lonesome today.

Sadly missed by your daughters, Daisy and Irene.

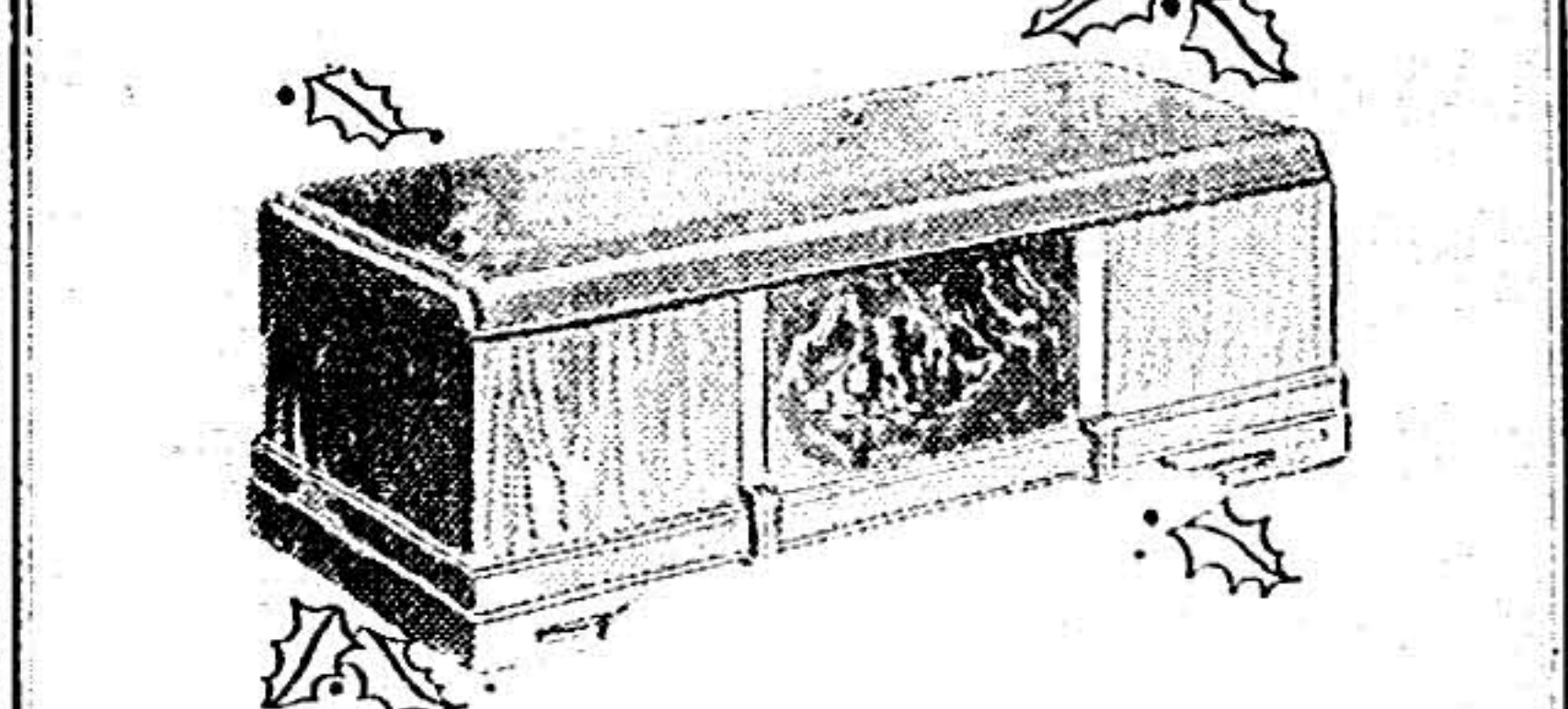
Those - In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Ann Rose, who passed away at Newmarket on Dec. 13, 1940.

Loving mother you have left us. Never more this earth to roam. You've ascended far above us To your better, brighter home.

Sadly missed by Stella, Mabel, Allie and Alonzo.



A Traditional Christmas Remembrance
A WALNUT CHEST WILL PROVE A HAPPY ANSWER TO THE "WHAT TO GIVE" PROBLEM - PLEASE WIFE OR SWEETHEART, MOTHER OR SISTER, WITH ONE OF THE BEAUTIES ON OUR FLOOR.



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Thursday, Dec. 18

at 8 p.m., sharp

Town Hall

ADMISSION 25c

Alf. Smith, Pres.

John Duffield, Sec'y.

Catholic League Undertakes War Work

The Catholic Women's League of Newmarket held their first monthly meeting on Monday at the home of the president, Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey.

The following ladies are holding office for the year: president, Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey; vice-president, Mrs. John West; sec-treas., Mrs. W. A. McCaffrey; knitting convener, Mrs. George Vale; sewing convener, Mrs. Leo Tunney; entertainment convener, Mrs. Ray Jelley.

It was at the wish of the pastor of St. John's church, Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle, and of His Grace, Archbishop McQuigan of Toronto, that the League was re-organized for war work. The members decided to work as a unit in connection with the local Red Cross, as the aim of the League is to further the war effort to the utmost.

The treasurer was authorized to send \$6 to the local Red Cross for the blanket fund. The members of the League look for a year of activity and hope to make a real contribution of work from time to time to the Red Cross.

Give The Era for Christmas. One year \$2, two years \$3. To men in uniform \$1 a year. Fifty cents a year extra for postage for subscriptions going to the U.S. Gift cards supplied or sent with gift subscriptions.

"AND EVERYBODY'S HAPPY..."

Newmarket's arrangement for the division of school taxes between separate and public school boards, which has proved a model to many municipalities, was renewed by the town council for another five years at a town council meeting on Monday evening.

N. L. Mathews, K.C., clerk and solicitor, explained that there was permissive provincial legislation for this arrangement.

"The public school board tells us each year how large a grant they require, we add to that the public school debt service requirements, and collect that total amount for the public schools, and one-twelfth of that amount for the separate school," Mr. Mathews explained.

"Everybody pays the same rate, and the proceeds go into the one fund," said Mr. Mathews. "The separate school board gets one-thirteenth of the total collected."

"And everybody is happy about the whole thing?" asked Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales.

"It has worked out very successfully," said Mr. Mathews. "The ratio was based on the relative number of pupils and the relative assessments. It started in 1924. The arrangement avoids all argument about factory and tenant assessments."

"Emergencies" Course Will Be Offered

An eight-weeks Red Cross course on "Emergencies in War" is being planned for the new year by the Newmarket Home and School Association.

This course will be open to men, women and young people and its main object will be the teaching of self-control in emergencies and how best to overcome fear. Such a course is being held with great success in Aurora this fall.

It will consist of weekly lectures, given by Newmarket and district doctors, followed by practical demonstrations in smaller groups, led by nurses. The Home and School Association would like to know how many are interested in availing themselves of this opportunity, in order that they may choose a suitable hall in which to hold the gatherings. They feel that such a course will meet a real need and are hoping to have an enthusiastic response from citizens.

Era printing costs little.

VOTE COST TOWN \$700

Taking the vote on the beverage room question cost the municipality nearly \$700, it developed at a town council meeting on Monday evening. As there was no other question before the voters, the remuneration of D.R.O.'s and clerks and the cost of revising the voters' list, with 1,000 applications for changes, are all laid at the door of the beer room question.

"The citizens asked for the vote," commented N. L. Mathews, K.C., clerk and solicitor.

SKI CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Newmarket Ski club elected the following officers for the coming season at a meeting held last week: honorary presidents, Fred Smith, Angus West; president, T. B. Scott; vice-president, Victor Higginson; secretary-treasurer, Helen Nesbitt; trails committee, George Phinister, convener, Ted Hewson, Larry Bell and Kenneth Osborne;

Membership committee, Aubrey Marshall, convener, Helen Rose, Vernon Thompson, Clifford Bell, Robert Brooks; transportation committee, George Byers, convener, Arthur Peppitt; entertainment committee, Helen Rose, convener, Mrs. Alice Georgas, Larry Bell and George Phinister; advertising committee, Harry Hodge, convener, Ted Hewson.

PUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS GIVE CONCERT DEC. 17

A splendid and unusual concert has been arranged by the staff of the public schools for presentation by the students on Wednesday, Dec. 17, at 7.30 p.m., in the high school auditorium. In past years the public has been very pleased with the class of entertainment provided by the pupils.

Many townsfolk felt that this year's concert should be held at the high school. As a consequence the home and school association asked permission of the high school board for use of the auditorium and the request was graciously granted.

Parents, friends and all who are interested in the Christmas fun of the children are very cordially invited to the public school Christmas concert. A well-filled concert hall is a great incentive to the cast. There will be amongst other attractions, folk dances, pantomimes, short plays and music.

PICKERING HOLDS ITS CANDELIGHT SERVICE

The annual Pickering College candlelight service will be held on Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Music will be led by the Glee club, and special music will be provided by Alice Strong Rourke and Jean Davis.

Interested townsfolk are invited to be present.

GRANDSON IS CHRISTENED

An interesting event took place on Sunday at St. Leonard's Anglican church, Toronto, when James Kenneth White, Jr., was christened by Rev. J. H. Carpenter.

The baby is the son of Pte. and Mrs. Jas. White, and the grandson of Wm. White of Newmarket. Pte. White is overseas.

After the ceremony tea was served at the Kingston residence to a few intimate friends.

TAKE NO ACTION

In view of the fact that a by-law was passed earlier in the year engaging the assessor, B. W. Hunter, at a salary of \$400, the town council took no action on a request for an increase in salary before a meeting on Monday evening.

EXPRESS SYMPATHY

The town council on Monday evening requested that the town clerk write a letter of sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook, whose son, LAC Ross Cook, died last week in an airplane accident.

Installs 1942 Officials

The installation of officers of the Newmarket Sons of England lodge 258 was held on Monday evening.

The ceremony was performed in splendid manner by D.D.S.P. Bro. A. G. Fowler of Toronto, assisted by Bros. W. Coleman and Geo. Spence of Lodge Loyalty, Aurora.

The following are the officers for 1942: P.P., Bro. Geo. LeGresley; president, Bro. W. Germaine; vice-pres., Bro. L. Wright; chaplain, Bro. E. Winter; financial secretary, Bro. A. D. Evans; treasurer, Bro. C. Evans; 1st committee, Bro. H. Perrin; 2nd committee, Bro. Albert Evans; 3rd committee, Bro. Grant Caldwell; 4th committee, Bro. W. Watts; 5th committee, Bro. F. A. Barker; 6th committee, Bro. N. Williams; inside gd., Bro. Geo. Climpson; outside gd., Bro. F. W. Keats.

After refreshments had been served eloquent addresses were given by D.D. Bro. Fowler, P.P. Bro. Southwood, Aurora, and Bro. Norman Williams, Newmarket.

The installation of the junior officers has been postponed until Jan. 26.

A regular junior meeting will be held on Monday, Dec. 22.

Specialty Organizes Mixed Bowling Teams

The office staff of the Office Specialty Co. have organized mixed bowling teams. There are six in all, with two men and four ladies on each team.

Monday of last week was the second night of bowling. The first night Dick Hugo's team was high for two games, with 967 points. The team includes Fred Hewson, Alexia Gibson, Hattie Bellar, Helen McBride, Grace Gee.

The second night, on Monday evening, Jack Hamilton's team was high with 1,071 points. The team includes Kenneth Johns, Meta Middlebrook, Jean Fry, Irene Armstrong, Alberta Choppin.

Nearly all the girls are bowling for the first time and make great improvement each time they bowl.

SOLDIER SPEAKS ON THE PROBLEMS OF YOUTH

Pte. Harold Cornish was the speaker at the Salvation Army Youth Group on Monday night. It was Christian fellowship evening.

Pte. Cornish took as his topic, "The problems of youth." He divided it into four parts, "education, social, what we owe to Christ, and ways of service."

FATHER BUILT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH AND RECTORY

A son of the late Canon Albert W. Spragge, under whom St. Paul's church and rectory were built in 1884, and a grandson of Edward Dudley of Newmarket, Edward A. Spragge died at Niagara Falls, Ont., on Nov. 7.

Mr. Spragge, who is survived by two brothers, George W. of Toronto and A. Dudley of Cobourg, was in his 58th year. Burial was made at St. Catharines. Mr. Spragge was also a nephew of the late Mrs. C. G. Ross of Newmarket.

Newmarket Musician Plays At Massey Hall

Gerald Rutledge of Newmarket, talented music master at Pickering College, was a member of Mona Bates' ten-piano ensemble who gave a concert in Massey Hall, Toronto, last Thursday evening before a large and appreciative audience.

FIELD SECRETARY WILL INSPECT SCOUTS

All Scouts are asked to be on hand for the meeting this Friday and to remember the penalty for not wearing uniforms.

Field Secretary Edgar T. Jones will be at the meeting and will inspect each Scout. Any Scouts that have any suitable games are asked to bring them. The time for the meeting is 7 o'clock sharp.

AURORA Social AND Personal

Miss Mary Hillary of Toronto spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. R. J. Hillary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knowles and family of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mrs. R. Cockerill.

Miss P. Banbury of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Banbury. Mr. and Mrs. Alan McGhee of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alan McGhee, Sr.

Miss Marie Arnold of the C.W.A.C. Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Percy Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stout spent Sunday in Peterborough.

Mr. Eric Smith of Toronto is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. M. E. Smith.

Miss Mary Griffith, nurse-in-training at Toronto General hospital, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dainty of Toronto spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. M. Hulce.

Mr. Dainty is the well-known radio artist and composer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks of Toronto spent Saturday with Mrs. M. L. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Monteith of Toronto, former Aurora residents, spent the weekend in town.

Mr. George Wilson of Toronto spent the weekend in town.

Mr. Victor Lane of Mount Dennis spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lane.

Miss Barbara Walker is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Walker, in Toronto for a few days.

Miss Muriel Hutton of London spent the weekend at the home of Mr. A. N. Fisher.

Mrs. Charles Dow of Toronto is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Robt. Bryan.

Among former Aurorians noticed at the Aurora-Caledonia game at Maple Leaf Gardens were ex-Reeve A. J. Knowles, Jack Cowie, son of the R.C.A.F., Alan McGhee and B. F. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Sparks spent Sunday at St. Catharines.

BELHAVEN

The public school Christmas concert will be held in the community hall on Friday evening, Dec. 19.

Mrs. Jos. Hodgins and daughter have returned home to Whitby after spending a few days with Mrs. Hodgins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus King spent Tuesday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kay and Mrs. Henry Kay were at a shower for Miss Audrey Kay of Sutton last Saturday.

MOUNT ALBERT W.M.S. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS FOR 1942

The concert in the hall on Wednesday evening, sponsored by Holt Home and School club, had a very fine attendance, and they all enjoyed the film, "Cavaladey of Europe," and a talk by Rex Frost, which was put on in aid of the British War Victims' Fund. The proceeds were \$20. The Pine Orchard orchestra gave some very nice musical selections.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calver entertained a number of friends and neighbors on Thursday evening at tea-time, in honor of their son, John, and his bride, who were recently married in Ottawa, where the groom is stationed with the R.C.A.F.

The W.M.S. of the United church held their annual meeting at the home of Miss B. Harmon last Wednesday afternoon. The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Mrs. H. Pearson; vice-president, Mrs. Roy Stewart; recording secretary and treasurer, Mrs. W. L. Carruthers; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. R. Steeper.

Christmas greetings were received this week by The Era from Sgt. Gordon Thompson of Newmarket, who is on active service in England.

WITH THE SOLDIERS

Eric Bunn of the R.C.A.F., who has been transferred from Guelph to Dunnville, spent the weekend at his home.

On Sunday Sgt. Jack Choppin and Sgt. T. A. M. Hulce of the Queen's York Rangers regiment will try their first examination at the officers' school being held at Fort York, army, Toronto. Corporals Larry Bell, Ken Osborne, Bill Sanders and Reg. Southwood will also try the N.C.O.'s examination the same day.

Hal Seim of the R.C.A.F. is now stationed at Dunnville, Ont.

The sergeants' mess of the Queen's York Rangers regiment are holding their annual children's Christmas party on Saturday, Dec. 13, at Fort York army, Toronto.

Reesor Stockley of Bethesda, who is with the R.C.A.F., is taking a course at Queen's University.

Pte. Donald Burling of the Queen's York Rangers, who has completed his trade course at Hamilton, is now stationed at Camp Borden with an army workshop unit.

Ptes. Frank Bolton and Albert Vines of the Q.Y.R. and the Q.O.R., respectively, army craftsmen at Barrifield camp, Kingston, spent the weekend at their homes.

Pilot-Officer John Perry spent a few days in town last week.

Sgt. James Murray of the R.C.A., Stanley barracks, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murray.

Sgt. Robert Hacking of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Robert Hacking.

Pt.-Lt. Reg. Cowan of the R.C.A.F., former Aurora resident, is now stationed in Toronto, having been transferred from western Canada.

Looking the picture of health Corporal Douglas Knowles of the R.C.A.F. fire-fighting force at Calgary, Alta., arrived home on Monday for his furlough. He expects to be at home over Christmas unless recalled by the Pacific command.

Keith Southwood of the R.C.A.F., Hagersville, has been spending a few days at his home this week.

John Sisman of the R.C.A.F., son of the R.C.A.F., Alan McGhee and B. F. Cox.

Grant Dillane, former Newmarket high school athlete, and son of Dr. M. K. Dillane, Schomberg, has joined the R.C.A.F. and is stationed at the Toronto manning pool.

SISTER DIES AS RESULT OF ACCIDENT IN AUGUST

Mrs. Lois Kathleen Grant, third victim of an automobile accident which occurred on Aug. 14, and in which both her parents were killed, died last Thursday. She is the sister of Mrs. A. J. Forte of Roches Point.

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Dairy Broken Into 6th Time, Safe Cracked, \$1,200 Stolen

Between 11 o'clock Friday evening and 6 o'clock on Saturday morning thieves forced their way into Cousins' Dairy to stage one of the most daring break-ins in the history of the town and escape with over \$1,200 in currency, cheques and war savings certificates.

After 11 o'clock Friday no one was on the premises at the dairy until the loss was discovered by an employee, Harry Squibb, when he came to work. The thieves gained entrance by a window in the boiler room. They then forced their way through several doors to the office and pried loose a small safe from its frame moorings. Dragging the safe to the back they entered the well insulated cooler and here by use of a crowbar, hammer and small sledge cracked it open. The refrigerator is sound-proof and sounds would not be heard off the premises.

They then left the premises. There was \$500 in cash, a number of cheques and \$120 in war savings certificates. The cheques are not negotiable and the war savings certificate numbers are registered with the department of finance.

"I had sold a used truck on Friday and had been paid for it,"

Archie Cousins told The Era. "It was the largest amount we have had in the safe for some time. This is the sixth time our store has been broken into. The robbers have been caught five times."

The loss is partly covered by insurance.

The safe that was opened is the one thieves removed from the premises in February, the time of the last break-in. On that occasion, Mr. Archie Cousins encountered the men on the street as they were dragging it away. From the manner in which the "job" was handled it would seem that the thieves were familiar with the building.

Fingerprint experts from the Toronto police department came to Aurora on Saturday and several good prints were obtained. Police are searching for a suspicious-looking car seen in Aurora on several occasions.

On Sunday a motorist was taken into custody in possession of a stolen car and was held for questioning.

Chief Constable Fisher Dunham, County Constable Aubrey Fleury and Sgt. Sidney Barraclough of the York county police are investigating.

CHAS. NAYLOR DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

The death of Charles Naylor, well-known Aurora resident, occurred at York county hospital, Newmarket, on Monday, after a lengthy illness.

He was in his 80th year and was born on Washburn Island in Victoria county. At an early age he moved to Lindsay with his parents and attended Lindsay public and high schools. For 25 years he farmed near Lindsay and then accepted a position in Toronto with Mathew Blackwell in the packing industry, moving to Aurora upon his retirement about 15 years ago.

He was a member of Aurora United church and had been a member of the church and an elder for the past seven years.

He is survived by his widow, formerly Sara Marshall, and two daughters, Mrs. E. V. Underhill (Elma), Aurora, and Mrs. Albert Lindsay (Mildred), Toronto.

The funeral service was at his daughter's residence Tyler St., on Wednesday afternoon with interment at Aurora cemetery. The service, which was private, was conducted by Rev. Roy Hicks.

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ATTEND TEACHERS' MEETING

Principal John G. McDonald and his entire staff attended a meeting of the urban public schools of the local inspectorate at Richmond Hill on Friday evening.

SERVE AT INQUEST

Those who served as a coroner's jury inquiring into the death of the late Frederick Morning last Thursday were Burton D. Gilbert, Ross Linton, Charles Malloy, W. J. Merchant and Fred Davis.

RECEIVES WINGS

John Perry of Schomberg, former Aurora high school student and local athlete, was among the members of the R.C.A.F. who received their wings at impressive ceremonies at Hagersville last week.

TRAINS FOR R.C.A.F.

Warren Jenkinson, son of Mrs. Matilda Jenkinson, is taking an aviators course at Central Technical school, Toronto, sponsored by the R.C.A.F. Following the completion of his course he will enter the R.C.A.F. Mr. Jenkinson has been in charge of a theatre at Carleton Place.

MOVES TO TORONTO

Councillor Herbert Wells of Whitechurch will not be a candidate for office this year as he has accepted a position in Toronto and will move there this month.

DECIDE AGAINST INQUEST

No inquest will be held into the death of Mrs. Arthur Van Nostrand, killed at Vancor by a ram last week, Coronor Dr. C. J. Devine has announced.

JOINS AIR FORCE



Stewart Walker of the R.C.A.F. is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker, Aurora. Stewart, a former Kirkland Lake hockey player, is now stationed at Guelph. His brother, Sgt. David Walker, is with the R.C.A.M.C.

Returns From Overseas, Shot Down Nazi Plane

Among the Canadian troops to return from overseas last week was Lt.-Col. John Ripley of the R.C.A.S.C., former proprietor of the Queen's hotel here.

Lt.-Col. Ripley has a German Dornier plane to his credit, having brought it down with a machine gun during an air raid attack. On his 11th wedding anniversary in 1940 he was riding on his motorcycle on a road in Kent when a low flying German plane machine-gunned the Canadian unit. The motorcycle crashed into a ditch and "Jack" suffered a fractured skull and broken leg. He spent 10 months in hospital and then was invalided home. He and Mrs. Ripley are now residing at 742 Vaughan Rd., Toronto.

Donald Webster Is Safe In Germany

Misses Lois and Amy Webster have received word officially that their nephew, Pilot-Officer Donald Webster of the R.C.A.F., who was reported as a prisoner of war, is interned in Germany and is uninjured. Pilot-Officer Webster is a graduate of the local high school.

CHORUS REACHES OBJECTIVE

"We have reached our objective of 100 voices, but we would like a few more applicants," Rod. V. Smith, president of the Victory chorus, told The Era this week.

"Due to illness and other unforeseen events, it will probably be necessary for some to drop out. The new applicants would not act as a reserve force. We need more men. Last night there were 75 out to practice and we had the best one yet. They are showing great progress and I think we can all be proud of the work being done," said Mr. Smith.

SERVE AS JURYMEN

Percy Allin and William Hope of Aurora, among those from this district serving on jury at Toronto this month.

PROVINCIAL MEMBER AND BRIDE HONORED

A group of Whitechurch and Stouffville residents journeyed to Mary Lake last week to honor Morgan Baker, M.L.A., and Mrs. Baker, with the presentation of a desk lamp.

Dr. J. L. Urquhart Is New Board Of Trade President

Members of the Aurora board of named as the new president by a trade and their wives gathered at unanimous vote of those present. Trinity parish hall yesterday for a Dr. Urquhart, was formerly the social evening and to honor the vice-president of the association, departing president of the organization, Lorne C. Lee was named vice-president and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. President, June Adams presented Harry L. Aldrich.

Lorne C. Lee, on behalf of those who assembled, presented Mr. Aldrich with a handsome pen and pencil set. Tribute was paid to Mr. Aldrich's work as president of the board of trade, secretary of the golf club and trustee of the local church, Newmarket, and a double high school board.

Dr. James L. Urquhart was sang.

Council Checks Up On Dogs With New By-Law

This week the council cleaned up several by-laws at a special meeting prior to their final meeting next Monday.

The waterworks committee passed a by-law with council's support to regulate the use of lawn and garden hose next year. The only hours that citizens can now use is daily between 7 and 9 p.m. Provision has been made for disconnection of services if the by-law is broken. If it is done the person cut off would have to pay a service deposit and a renewal service charge.

The council passed a new pool-room license by-law, and in it included the possibility of a bowling alley being opened. Licenses for pool-rooms cost \$15 for the first table and \$10 thereafter. Hours of operation are set from 7 a.m. to 11.30 p.m. A bowling license fee is set at \$10.

Dogs, long a problem in Aurora, are brought under control in a new dog by-law. From May 1 to Sept. 1 dogs will not be allowed to run, except on their own property or accompanied by their owners. The by-law forecasts the appointment of a dog-catcher and a dog pound establishment.

After a dog has been apprehended and held for 72 hours it may be killed or sold, with the proceeds going to the municipality. One dollar a day is the rate set for the canine boarders and the owners will have to pay this before the dogs are released.

The Aurora public school board formally advised the council that it was necessary to elect three trustees this year. Those whose term of office expires are School Board Chairman Dr. C. J. Devins and Trustees Fred Davis and Clarence Doolittle.

Boxing day, Dec. 26, was made a holiday in the town. The council was advised that the merchants were in favor of it and that the banks would conform with the proposal.

CIRCLE WILL MEET

The Velma Widdifield Mission Circle will meet on Friday evening, Dec. 12, at the home of Miss Edith McClymont, 20 Charles St.

RAVENSHOE

Pupils Are Busy Preparing For Concert

The enjoyable Indian summer came to a sudden end on Saturday morning when the temperature dropped and the snow began to blow. On Monday more snow fell and it looks as if winter has come to stay.

The Y.P.U. had their first meeting last Wednesday evening. Not too many came out, but they had a very good meeting. It is planned to make the meetings more interesting with more variety. Rev. Gordon Lapp is suggesting ways of improving them, with the hope of getting more to come out.

A special invitation to all young people in the community is extended to come and enjoy a pleasant and helpful evening each Wednesday at eight o'clock. The Sunday-school is looking forward to their Christmas entertainment. There will be a little change this year, with moving pictures and a ventriloquist.

Jersey school concert will be on Dec. 18 at 8 o'clock sharp. The pupils are very busy preparing. Last year was a disappointment, with so much sickness, so they are looking forward to a real crowd this year.

DOWN THE CENTRE

Aurora juniors passed out of the S.P.A. picture, but one game means very little in this series. Only twice in the years of the S.P.A. have Aurora gone past the first round. The championship C team were eliminated in the second round, while the junior B Tigers survived three rounds and reached the semi-finals. The answer is that, handicapped with no ice and lack of practice, up-country teams meet better-conditioned outifts. If subsequent group history means anything, Aurora will have a strong team.

Caledonia, the winners, have been working out at Grimsby and St. Catharines and, backed by a war industry, have the funds on hand to do this. Last year they were eliminated by Thorold after winning their group. This season they have the majority of their players back, plus reinforcements from Bolton and Elmira. Pete Dillman played a good game in the Aurora nets after letting in a couple of soft ones. His style of clearing needs improving and this, plus a bit more confidence in himself, would help. Frankie Hughes, a 15-year-old sensation, is battling it out for the same spot and will alternate with Pete until the regular goalie is picked.

Ross Tunbridge, the leading defenceman of the group, and captain of last year's team, may, however, be lost to Aurora for the season. Ross, who played a strong game, attracted the attention of Marlboro officials, who were not to secure his services. Tunbridge promised local officials that if he didn't make the grade in junior A company he would be back here. The Aurora executives know Ross will be as good as his word, but if Tunbridge can make the grade with Marlboro, local fans and players will wish him the best. He would easily make a place with Native Sons, St. Mike's or Young Rangers, but the Maple Leaf junior interests are tough to place with, as Nick Bangay and Ronnie Rowe, Marlboro standouts, found out. We will see what we will see. No reason for despair should exist, even if Tunbridge should be gone.

Harold Capra, last year with Etobicoke in B, a smooth stick-handler and brainy, has signed along with Del Beaumont, Bruce Stephens, George Stark and a host of others. Beaumont failed to make Marlboro, but preferred to play with his old club rather than

waste time with A clubs who were weak sisters. Joe Turnbull, a pal of Briar Thompson, showed to advantage in a brief appearance. Both he and Thompson, the big Sutton boy who has everything to make good, were quickly signed. The Redmen contingent of Gunn, Broughton and Macinnis looked good in spots and with practice will soon reach last year's peak. There are other boys to be seen in practice and one thing is certain, Rowntree won't lack for capable material. All the team needs is plenty of practice and if Jack Frost does his stuff it won't be long now.

Markham crashed down Etobicoke juniors in the S.P.A. by a 10-2 score. The youngsters have of pretty fair club assembled, all of which have experience, but don't count them as a sure thing. You can write-off 50 percent of their S.P.A. performances, no matter how far they go, for Bob Bangay, Bob Lawrie, Austin Baker, Ike Harper and others who are playing in the junior series, are over age for the junior series and won't have to be contented with by Aurora and the rest. They were the standouts shown by the Lawrie boys, who trotted out decked in white sweaters without any creases.

Rowdway, the subgoalie of last year, who hails from Stouffville, looks as if he will do and can fill the place of the departed Scott and Jack Harper without disgracing them. This is a real break for the Markies, as they were uncertain about his propensities. Junkin, who played Lindsay last year, if he is young enough for junior, looks like the best of their recruits, but minus their adult players I don't fancy them a whit better than the other teams in the group. Etobicoke showed promise, but have considerable pruning to do. Latham, who played B last year, was their best performer, while Scott, a brother of George Scott who played with Aurora, went well. Stew Martin, who was expected to be with Aurora, played for the Scruton-Stukus team and did not live up to his practice sessions.

Milton had a two goal margin over the Oakville team, who are group rivals, and they will meet Caledonia next Monday to give you a further bit of dope on the group rivals. The Halton county boys are garbed in yellow and black and sponsored by a brick company. Cox, who played in the finals against Aurora in junior C, was in the line-up and was outstanding. A right winger and their goalie were also outstanding.

Oakville, who wear red sweaters trimmed with blue and white, looked almost as good and will not be set-ups for anyone. The club is backed by the Oakville Amateur Sports Association. This progressive organization charges a \$1 membership fee without any return to the members except the feeling that they have done their bit for sport and the town youngsters, and the Oakville sports have come through, too. The Oakville club also runs the rink, which should give them plenty of funds for hockey. They have a town league, midget and juvenile teams going, which is certain to pay dividends in playing material. The Oakville rink is not too up-to-date, being built in 1921. Roy Smith heads the Oakville outfit.

Rumour has it that neither Oakville nor Milton are keen for a double schedule, which is what Aurora and Markham and, we fancy, Etobicoke and Aurora want. The group meeting should see plenty of action and Brother Scruton should get busy soon on his job as convenor.

King City boys are figuring on having their own rural team this season and moving up to the A series. They are counting on Leon Shropshire, Ray Lloyd, Ross Follett, Ken Brown, Blondie Rutledge, Nip Armstrong and others who were with Schomberg last year.

Charlie Case is expected to guard the twice cage for the King lads, which means one or two Vandort and district lads will likely play. Norman Taylor, who played a bit of junior hockey with Aurora juniors last year, and his brother are also expected out, plus Mark Stewart, who is too old for junior.

Frank Congrove and Edton Benoit of Schomberg Juniors, who played juvenile last year, are looked upon as capable of moving up. Congrove will likely be given a chance to work out with the local juniors.

Gar Preston, who is playing with the Riverview team in the U.S.A. I.H.A., is the leading scorer for his team and having a good season. Several other Aurora ex-players are having good luck slamming the hockey puck past the opposing goalies. Bill Wilson, for instance, is a top scorer of the whole circuit in the N.O.H.A. senior series and he and his Hollinger buddies are sitting on top of the circuit.

Neilly Mair, who is playing for St. Catharines seniors this year, is getting a portion of scoring points each game to keep up with the leaders. From all we hear, however, Mair is not moving too much as yet, his theme song being, "I don't want to set the world on fire." If in the mood Mair will be one of the best in the business.

John McComb, while not playing in his usual form in the mercantile loop, nevertheless has planned some scoring power and hasn't done badly for his team. Pepper Martin has had a bid to play for Belleville in senior B and will likely land up with Mike Rodden's team. Martin has not attended any Kingston senior practices as yet and apparently has no intention of doing so. He would have to secure a release, but that seems as good as in the bag, for Kingston, with plenty of players on hand, are not worrying about where anyone plays, according to Wally Elmer, coach of the Limestone City seniors.

Harry "Whammy" Milroy, the former Sutton hockey star, who played for his battery stationed at Lindsay last winter in the same group as his former buddies, will not be seen in action in Canada this winter. Harry's outfit are now in England.

Criticism has often been voiced in this district that there are few if any local boys playing in the town's hockey team. The answer

is easy. Modern hockey is pretty fast. Unless you are prepared to gamble on experiments, it is necessary to have experienced players. Those who are the loudest in their work with the hammer are the first to desert the team when it is only a matter of time before the local talent is for the townspeople to underwrite the hockey club so even if no one attends the games there will be no red ink showing. It costs about as much to run a poor team as a good one. If you think of small towns, consider the population and how many first-raters you could expect.

But the cities are no better. Oshawa has perhaps one local boy playing on their team with a population of over 20,000. Brantford has only one, while Ken. Collings of Belleville sums it all up when he looks over the Quinte city's line-up and notes only one player, and that one a junior, playing for the city's senior B team. We quote, "It's a pretty kettle of fish when a city of 15,000 can't produce a single senior hockey player." Back 15 years ago we remember seeing Belleville teams packed with all homebreds. The situation is the same all over.

The Newmarket military camp were late in their O.H.A. entry and just about missed the boat. The subcommittee granted their permission to enter on Saturday and grouped them with Sutton, Markham and Peterboro military camp. Two soldier teams versus two civilian. You will really see the fur fly in this loop and Newmarket fans are lucky to have tidbits of this sort dropped right on their doorstep. That goes for the rink shareholders, too. Last week in our news in the form of a preview of the season we discussed that a few weeks back and it's much the same list.

Markham will have seven of last year's junior team, plus Ernie Lawrie and some Toronto mercenaries. Sutton, we have already discussed. We don't think they'll lack for players and should be able to send Gilbey to Aurora juniors, where he really should play, and would like to, too. A few new faces only will brighten up the scene here.

Peterboro camp has a pretty fair crowd, headed by Leon Nichols of Riverview in the E.U.A.H.A., Doug Mortimer of Peterboro seniors, and McCreey from Belleville seniors and lots of other material.

Intermediate A is the classification now in place of the B series. There are four groups in this section, with Midland, last year's title-holders, favored for group one, Waterloo for group two, and St. Thomas for group three. The North Yorkers are really stepping up into big-time company. Actual, however, there is little difference in playing strength between the two series. It's easier to win a title in A if you have the stuff, so there you are.

Ed Hurley, former DeLaSalle star, is a new recruit for the Barrie Colts. He is a defenceman and is stationed at Camp Borden. Larry's horses meet St. Catharines this week in the S.P.A. series and on the dope St. Kitt's should win. We will watch this one with interest, for nothing would please us better than to see Molyneux make good. Bill Jelley, who will be with the Saints, pleased everybody with a neat display at the Gardens last week as he got himself a goal.

Seven bells is the hour kids at Owen Sound are learning to play hockey. We don't mean at night. We mean in the morning. At the rink there the kids scramble out of bed for their three or four team league and go to it with a will. Hard to get junior up, mom? Maybe if you could induce some of the local sportsmen to start the idea here it would be easy. At any rate the kids at the Sound and Bill Garbutt and his co-workers deserve a real tribute. The hard way in sport is the best way, too. Unbridge are sponsoring a fund to paint the name of the town on the rink to guide Canada's fliers. Are you listening, Aurora and Newmarket? We could wisecrack, of course, that the Ontario county town is so small it needs a sign to make it a landmark even for those in the air.

Markham meet Paris in a junior game next Monday night at the Gardens, according to latest reports. We call St. Kitt's, Caledonia, Markham and U.T.B. to come through their next junior rounds in the B and C series.

Eversley

Friends deeply regret the seriousness of the condition of Mrs. A. Jones. She was operated on last Friday for a brain tumor.

Mr. Edgar Bowen visited relatives at Thoronton for a few days last week.

Eversley school Christmas treat and local concert will be held in the schoolhouse next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, S.T. This is always a very enjoyable occasion, the pupils performing splendidly under the direction of the teacher, Miss McClure.

The Sunday-school treat will be added to the school treat as there will be no concert by the Sunday-school this year owing to the scarcity of young people.

A special church service will be held at the regular service hour in the church a week from Sunday, Dec. 21, when prizes, diplomas and seals will be presented to the Sunday-school pupils.

A small party was held at Mrs. Menzies' on Saturday evening as a farewell to Bill Menzies, who has joined the air force and who left for Toronto on Monday morning to report for duty.

Howard Follett also left Monday morning for training.

The W.A. of Eversley church held a successful bazaar on Saturday afternoon in the basement of King United church. The room was filled with a noble crowd, who came, knew and bought the fine things to eat or wear. The fish pond was surrounded by youngsters. Afternoon tea was served and enjoyed.

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FINE ORCHARD Women's Club Expresses Thankfulness For Vote

A large crowd attended the community club meeting held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sproton last Wednesday. The club is packing parcels for Cpl. Percy Tidman, Pte. Harold Pyle and Pte. Douglas Hale. Any articles which are to be enclosed may be left with Mrs. Randall Chapman before the New Year.

New talent was shown when the quartet of Delbert Dike, Douglas Hope, Miss Olive Bostwick and Mrs. Fred Reid sang "We're on the Sunny Side."

Mr. McCallum spoke on "Why we should have a community club." Mrs. Ross Armitage conducted a quiz contest. Misses Audrey and Grace Sproton favored the club by singing "You are my Sunshine." An interesting "Pine Orchard Enterprise" was edited by Bill Dike. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dike on Friday, Jan. 2.

The Pine Orchard Willing Workers met on Dec. 3 at Mrs. A. M. Colville's home.

Officers elected for 1942 were: president, Mrs. Ross Armitage; vice-president, Mrs. Earl Toole; secretary, Mrs. Fred Reid.

Mrs. Colville read about "Descendants of wise men," showing the similarity of the article written by a modern archaeologist with the description of "wise men" in Ben Hur. Christmas carols were enjoyed by all.

The new president asked that in appreciation of the overwhelming vote against the establishment of a beverage room in Newmarket the meeting close with "Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

Mr. McKerrill of Toronto took both the morning and evening service at the Church of Christ on Sunday.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lundy on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. McKerrill of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lundy of Cedar Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sproton and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Blinger of Gormley.

Everyone is asked to come and see the play, "Improper Henry Proper," and the operetta, "Sit-down Strike in Santaville," at Pine Orchard school on Friday evening, Dec. 19, at 8 p.m.

The Union church Sunday-school will meet at 1:45 p.m. on Dec. 21 and there is a white gift service and Christmas carols at 2:45 p.m.

EAST GWILLIMBURY PAYS LONG LIST OF ACCOUNTS

East Gwillimbury council held their regular monthly meeting at Sharon hall on Saturday, with all members present. They passed a number of accounts.

General accounts were as follows: Gordon Coates, sheep claim, \$17; Walter Warren, sheep claim, \$17; Frank Cunningham,

sheep valuator, \$4; A. G. Hall, sheep claim, \$27; B. W. Howard, sheep valuator, \$6; W. H. Theaker and Son, ambulance, \$12; Dr. Sinclair, medical service, \$11.50; Express-Herald, advertising, \$5.80; County of York, hospitalization, \$67.25; Dr. L. W. Dales, medical service, \$2.75; department of health, re insulin, \$4.54; department of game and fisheries, \$3.75; Dr. J. H. Wesley, medical services, \$1.25.

Geer & Byers, ambulance, 50 cents; Noble Scott, printing, \$4.32; Newmarket Era, advertising, \$3.20; clerk's salary, \$100; relief officer, salary, \$10; J. E. Jardine, salary, \$80; school attendance officer, salary, \$50; Mrs. J. Milton, \$2.10; Mrs. F. Fountain, \$7.10.

Relief accounts: Hillsdale Dairy, \$3.72; F. J. Shaw, \$14.50; Reford Sedore, \$16.20; W. H. Eves & Co., \$15.50; S. R. Goodwin, \$22; Mrs. John Milton, \$5; E. P. Crittenden, \$25; W. A. Burkholder, \$6; Mrs. F. Fountain, \$5; N. W. Fry, \$20.40; Mrs. Jean Davis, \$5.50; Kenneth Ross, \$13.50; Geo. Price, \$3.60; Chas. Barton, \$18; Gordon Rowe, \$30.62.

Road accounts: freight, \$27.31; fence bonus, \$10; supplies, \$38.48; repairs, \$58.49; snow fence and posts, \$284.85; fuel oil, \$29.70; government tax on oil for September, October and November, \$32.80; crushing gravel, \$348.87; resurfacing, \$78.06; general road repairs, \$141.85; superintendent, \$115.

The council adjourned to meet again Monday, Dec. 15, at 10 a.m.

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HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY
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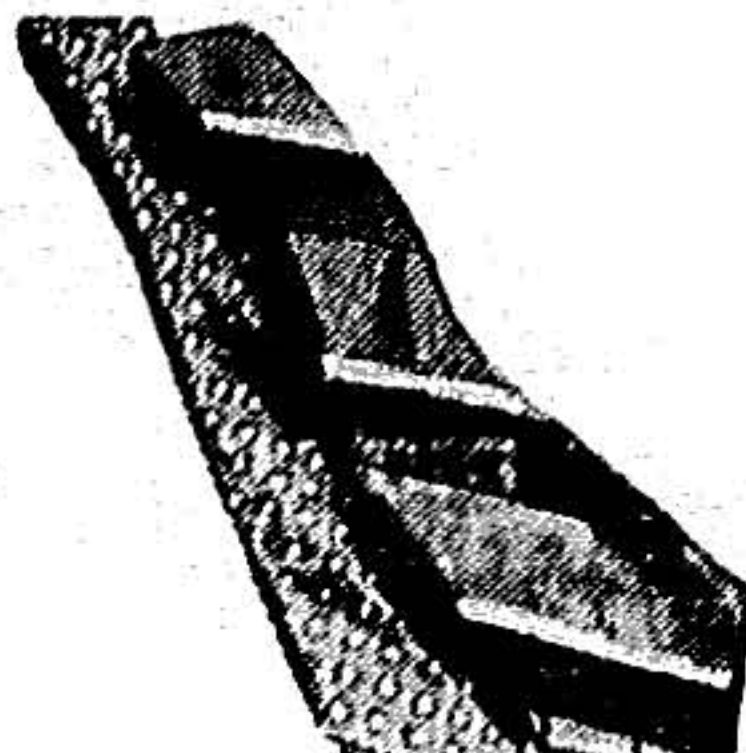
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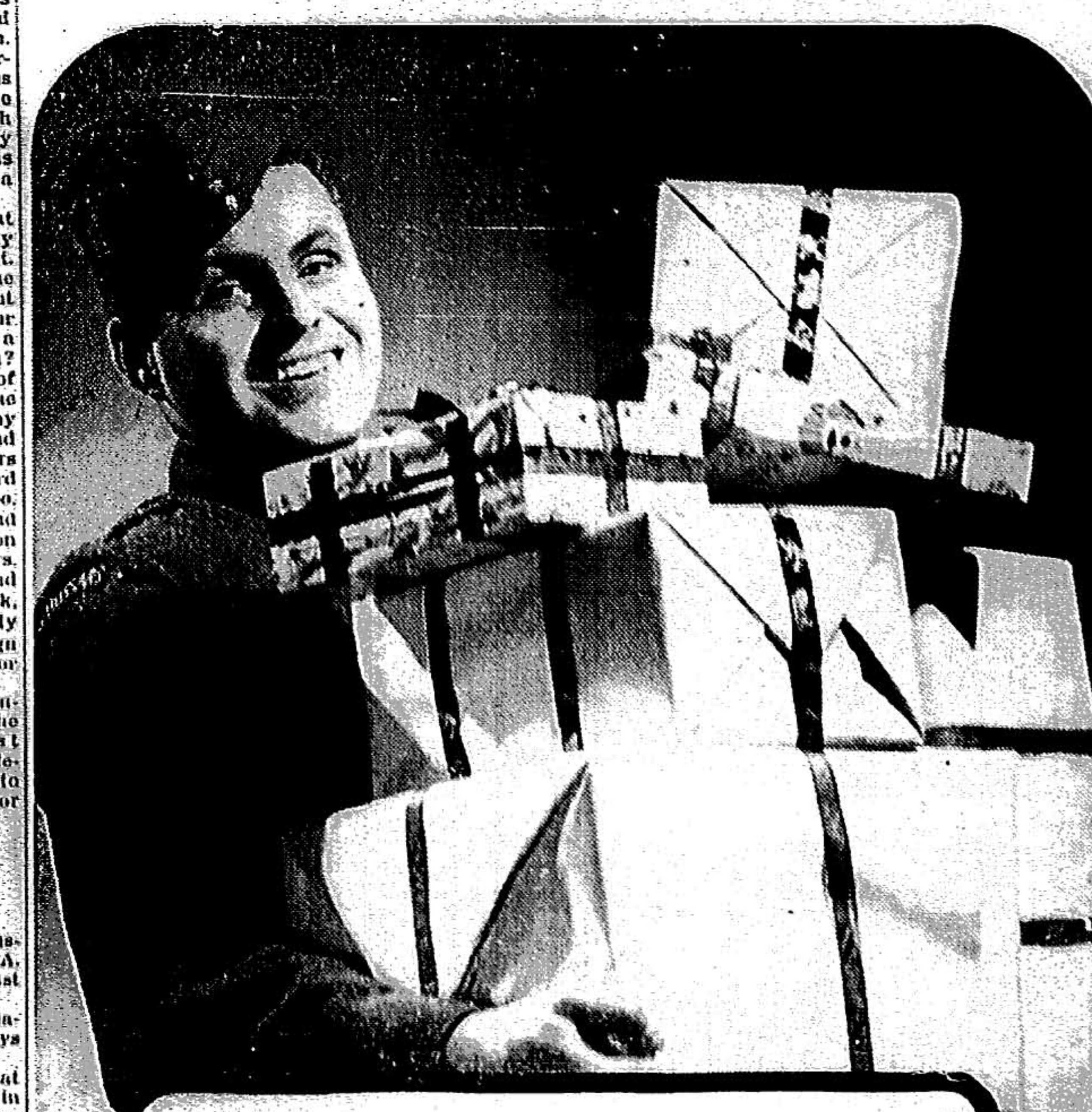
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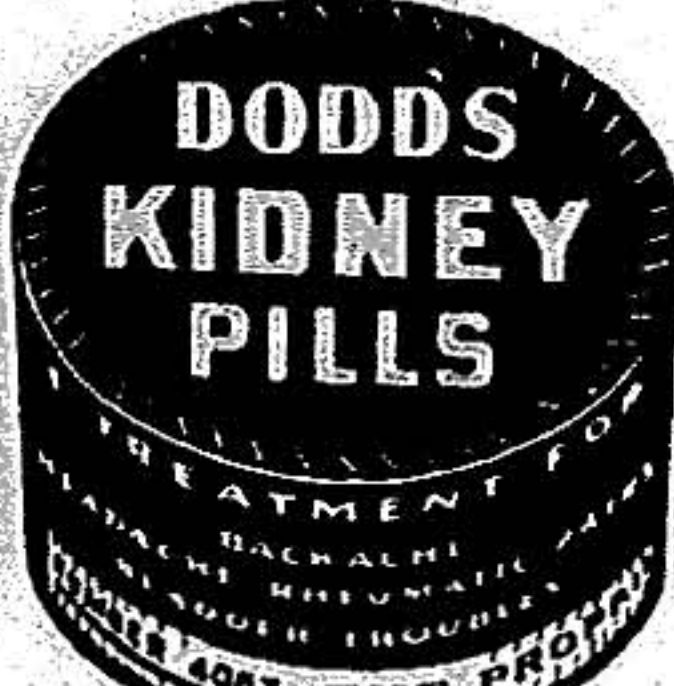
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lowing officers were elected for
the year 1942: honorary presi-
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president, Mrs. William Davison;
first vice-president, Mrs. Francis
Morton; 2nd vice-president, Mrs.
Cecil Grant; 3rd vice-president,
Mrs. Judd Cole; recording secre-
tary, Mrs. Winston Prosser; cor-
responding secretary, Mrs. Or-
ville King; treasurer, Mrs. J.
Baines; press correspondent, Miss
Joy Marritt; pianist, Miss Eva
Gilroy; flower committee, Mrs.
Orvan Huntley; temperance, Mrs.
Perry Winch; ma.-e committee,
Mrs. Orville King, Mrs. Cecil
Grant, Mrs. George White.

Later a very delicious sup-
per was served by the following
committee: Mrs. Ralph Henry,
Mrs. Winston Prosser and Miss
Eva Gilroy. Among those who
assisted with the supper were
Mrs. Ernest Morton, Mrs. Jack-
son and Miss Jean Nicklan.

For the program following the
supper William Davison was the
general chairman. A number of
Christmas hymns were sung by
the audience. Miss Eva Gilroy
was the pianist for these num-
bers.

Rev. Mr. Lapp told a story of
Poland, "The Christmas Clock,"
in a very arresting and interest-
ing manner.

A piano solo by Miss Phyllis
Rye and a stirring temperance
reading by Mrs. Ernest Morton
in honor of Newmarket's splen-
did stand on the temperance
question were also greatly en-
joyed.

7 Con., N.G.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller and
Mrs. Percy Brown spent a couple
of days in the city last week.

Miss Emeline Ley visited Miss
Marjorie Cryderman over the
weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harper,
Miss Jean Hopkins and Mr. Jack
Hensley visited Mr. and Mrs.
Alex. Hopkinson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Howlett of
Newmarket visited at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. E. Miller re-
cently.

Little Miss Marion Brown,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy
Brown, celebrated her third
birthday on Thursday, Dec. 4.

The Y.P.S. will hold their next
meeting at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Archie Stevenson, Baldwin,
on Friday.

Miss Gloria Miller spent a
couple of days at Baldwin with
her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.
M. Cryderman.

Mr. P. R. Norton of Toronto
spent the weekend at his home.

A recent letter from Despatch
Rider Byron B. Brown in Eng-
land tells of a 400-mile trip and
a seven-days leave spent with
friends in Scotland.

Mount Pleasant

The teacher of the public
school and her pupils are busy
these days with their Christmas
concert to be held Dec. 18.

The Mount Pleasant young
people are making plans for a
play to be given during the
Christmas holidays.

Quite a number from here
attended the Red Cross sewing
days at Belhaven last week.

Master Geo. Stiles had the mis-
fortune to hurt his finger, se-
vering the nail.

Mr. Martin Stiles, Sr., of
Islington, is visiting friends in
the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson
spent Sunday evening at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd
Kay, Belhaven.

The Young People's meeting
will be held at the home of
Archie Stephenson, Baldwin, on
Friday evening, Dec. 12, at 8
o'clock.

Mr. Andrew Mainprize is con-
fined to the house with rheu-
matism.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kay and
children and Mr. and Mrs. Ber-
nard Davidson and George had
supper with Mrs. Everett Yorke
on Sunday evening.

Sharon

The Sharon public school
Christmas concert will be held
in Sharon community hall on
Wednesday evening, Dec. 17, at
7:30 p.m., S.T. The main item
on the program will be an oper-
etta entitled, "Unexpected
Guests."

Miss Donna Fry spent the

QUEENSVILLE
Forgo Own Gifts, Will
Help English Children

Rev. Hugh Shannon is ex-
changing pulpits with Rev. W. A.
Westcott of Wesley next Sunday.
Mr. Westcott will preach at
Queensville at 11 a.m., Hope at
3 p.m. and Sharon at 7 p.m.
Everyone is looking forward to
the day and expecting large
congregations to hear Mr. West-
cott, who is well known in this
district.

The annual Christmas enter-
tainment of the United church
Sunday-school, Queensville, will
be held on Thursday evening,
Dec. 18, at 8 p.m. The program
will be given by the pupils of
the Queensville public school
and they will be assisted by the
pupils of the north and fourth
line schools.

The usual treat of nuts and
candy will be given to all chil-
dren present. No gifts will be
given this year, but a liberal
donation from the door receipts
will be sent to the Christmas
Cheer fund for the children of
the Old Land. The pupils are
entering wholeheartedly into
the plan of helping the children
in the bombed areas to enjoy the
Christmas season.

The following items were sent
to the Red Cross headquarters
from the Queensville branch this
week: four scarves, two turtle-
neck sweaters, two pairs of sea-
men's socks, four helmets, two
pairs of mitts, one pair of
girl's stockings, 12 pairs of socks,
one pair of gloves, one child's
sweater, one quilt, one lady's
coat.

Anyone wishing to help with
knitting or sewing may do so by
applying to the Red Cross offi-
cers.

The householders are asked to
keep on collecting salvage, which
will be gathered in the near
future.

On Saturday evening a num-
ber of young people met at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dew
and presented them with a floor
lamp. After a short social time
the following address, signed by
their Queensville friends, was
read:

"We, a few of your many
friends, have gathered here to-
night to enjoy a few social
hours in your home. Although
we do not think the charivari
was much of a surprise to either
of you—we really had fun plan-
ning and participating in it. Both
of you have lived in our
midst for many years and we
know of no one who has made
more friends than you have. We
trust that we shall all have the
pleasure of your friendship for
many years to come and that
your wedded life together will
grow happier day by day.

"Tonight we are presenting
you with this floor lamp and we
hope that its light will flood
your home with rays of sunshine.
We ask you to accept this gift
with our very best wishes."

After a reply by both the bride
and groom, a dainty lunch was
served.

Mrs. R. J. Waite of Toronto
has been spending the past week
visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A.
Burkholder and friends of
Queensville.

The Y.P.S. of the United
church visited Keswick Young
People on Monday evening.

Mrs. Wilmer White of Toronto
spent Sunday afternoon with
Mrs. W. T. Huntley.

R. Putnam is in a Toronto hos-
pital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Clarkson have
bought one of R. J. Waite's
houses and have moved in. They
are welcomed to the village.

S. S. No. 2, Hillside, are hold-
ing their Christmas concert on
Wednesday, Dec. 17, at 8 p.m.,
S.T.

The regular meeting of the
Women's Missionary Society was
held at the home of Mrs. Elmer
Stickwood, with the president,
Mrs. Hugh Shannon, in charge
of the meeting.

The study book was taken by
Mrs. Angus Smith and was very
interesting. A fine paper on
"Faith" was given by Mrs. Shan-
non. The devotional period was
taken by Mrs. Andrew Mackenzie
and she read a lovely poem
accompanied by soft music. Mrs.
Sydney Thompson sang a solo
and refreshments were served at
the close.

The December meeting will be
held at the home of Mrs. Hugh
Shannon.

weekend with Mr. and Mrs.
Albert Hillaby, Richmond Hill.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Fry were visit-
ing at the same place on Sunday.

The service at the United church
on Sunday will be at 7 p.m. Rev.
W. A. Westcott of Temperance-
ville circuit will have charge of
the service.

Lorne Ramsay from Alberta is
home on two weeks' leave from
camp.

Mr. John Salter, Yonge St.,
visited his daughter, Mrs. M. E.
Kiteley, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newton
and family of Toronto also visit-
ed Mrs. Kiteley on Sunday.

Mrs. Willard Grose spent last
Thursday with Mr. and Mrs.
Thos. Lowndes at Keswick.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson
of Toronto visited the latter's
mother, Mrs. Ida Oliver, on Sun-
day.

A good crowd of ladies were
out at the hall on Tuesday for
Red Cross work. Tuesday was
packing day.

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ELMHURST BEACH
District President
Speaks to Elmhurst W.I.

The Elmhurst Beach Women's
Institute met at Mrs. L. B. Pol-
lock's home on Dec. 3.

There were 30 ladies present.
The district president, Mrs. B.
Sinclair of Mount Albert, visited
the branch and gave a most
interesting and instructive ad-
dress on the Institute motto, ode
and creed.

Miss Evelyn King sang a love-
ly solo, "Rose of England."
Little Doris Pollock also enter-
tained with a comic song, "The
Captain and His Men."

Mrs. Cameron gave a demon-
stration on darning and Mrs.
Pollard a humorous reading,
"Ain't it the Truth?"

The ladies were all in favor of
forwarding a cheque of \$10 to
the Christmas Cheer fund for
British children.

Mrs. Smithers was elected presi-
dent for the remainder of the
year, as Mrs. Cameron has
moved to Toronto for the win-
ter.

Four little girls from the
school, Ruth Hirst, Doris Pollock,
Beth King and Doreen Anderson,
served a delicious lunch.

KESWICK
Church Congregation
Will Honor Family

John A. Morton, one of the
elders of Keswick United church,
who has served as a church offi-
cer for several years, is leaving
Keswick for Toronto on Monday.
He has been appointed church
officer at Bedford Park United
church and begins his duties at
once.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton and
daughter, Betty, will be much
missed in the church and in the
community. Recently Mr. Mor-
ton was appointed teacher of the
adult Bible class, after having
been assistant for some time.

Following the evening service
on Sunday the congregation will
say farewell to Mr. Morton and
family. All members and friends
are invited to be present.

On Sunday morning at the
United church, Rev. Gordon
Lapp, the minister, will preach
on the subject, "In night's dark
shadow comes a joyful sound."

The evening service, which will
also be suitable to the Christmas
season, will be a story service.
The junior choir will assist with
the music.

Mr. Wm. Marritt and Rev. Gor-
don Lapp attended the Toronto
Centre presbytery in Toronto on
Tuesday.

Holland Landing

The public school Christmas
concert will be held in the school
on Dec. 16 at 7:30 p.m., S.T.

The United church will hold
its annual white gift Sunday this
week. The service will be at
7:30 D.S.T. Everyone is asked to
come and bring a gift. The gifts
are to be sent to the Fred Victor
Mission in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. B. King and son
spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mrs. R. McKay of Toronto
spent Tuesday with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. George Jarvis.

Mrs. Samuel Dean is visiting
her son and daughter-in-law, Mr.
and Mrs. A. Dean, Toronto.

Mrs. Archie Reilly spent a few
days last week with her sister,
Mrs. A. Quarrie, Guelph.

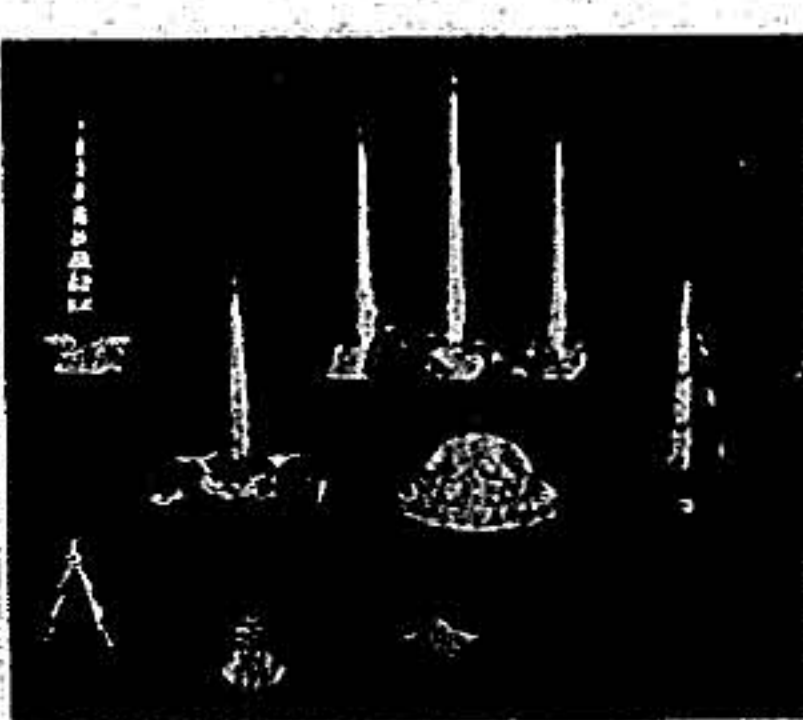
Mrs. George Shields and son,
Ross, spent a couple of weeks
with Mr. and Mrs. Richard



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Shields, Toronto, recently.
Clarence Fawcett suffered a
broken knee cap when he fell off
a ladder which slipped when he
was fixing a storm door at his
home on Wednesday.

Hope

The Hartman W.A. visited the
Hope W.A. on Thursday at the
church here. A very enjoyable
time was spent.

Mrs. Elmer Stickwood, Queens-
ville, visited Mrs. Oscar Stick-
wood on Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Scott, teacher of
school section No. 11, will hold her
Christmas concert on Tuesday
evening, Dec. 16.

Miss Viola Taylor, teacher of
school section No. 7, will hold her
Christmas concert on Thursday
evening, Dec. 18.

Mrs. Mary Rolling and Mrs.
Harry Longhurst, Mount Albert,
spent Wednesday with Mrs. S.
Boyd, Mrs. Mary Rolling remain-
ing for a few days.

Miss Ruth Pegg, Toronto, spent
the weekend at her home.

Misses Ruth and Joyce Brenair
spent the weekend at home.

Mrs. Ronald Allison, Holt, visit-
ed her mother, Mrs. Geo. Barker,
last Wednesday.

Mrs. D. B. Stickwood visited
Miss Amy Gibson on Sunday.

A social evening will be held at
the church on Friday evening,
Dec. 19, for the Sunday-school
children.

Mrs. M. Hall, Mrs. G. Broderick
and Mrs. Gray visited Mrs. A.
Dike on Wednesday.

Rev. W. A. Westcott of Wesley
will be the speaker here on Sun-
day. The church service will be
held at 3 p.m. and Sunday-school
at 2 p.m.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE WILL
HEAR MRS. ARTHUR BOYD

The December meeting of the
Newmarket Women's Institute
will be held on Thursday, Dec.
18, at 2:30 p.m. at the home of
Mrs. Max Smith, 63 Millard Ave.

Mrs. Arthur Boyd will be the
guest speaker and the president,
Mrs. Thos. Watson, will give a
report on the recent convention.
There will be a silver collection
for the Newmarket Children's
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from the treasurer, W. Erwin
Winch, Belhaven, and the list is
being published in the Ontario
Gazette and that in default of
payment of the taxes the lands
will be sold by public auction on
Saturday, Feb. 7, 1942, at the hour
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MOUNT ALBERT
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WORSHIPFUL MASTER

There was a good attendance of members of L.O.L. 902 last Friday evening and several visitors from the Island Grove lodge were present.

Two members were initiated into the mysteries of the blue degree.

The following officers for 1942 were elected: wor. master, Wor. Bro. Roy Carr; deputy master, Bro. James Storach; chaplain, Bro. Nelson Boden; rec. secretary, Wor. Bro. M. L. Pegg; financial secretary, Bro. Ross Stickwood; treasurer, Bro. Morley Bain; marshal, Bro. Robt. Stickwood; 1st lecturer, Bro. Marshall Fairbairn; 2nd lecturer, Wor. Bro. Stewart Stickwood; 1st committeeman, Bro. Geo. Allison; 2nd committeeman, Bro. Nelson Boden; 3rd committeeman, Wor. Bro. M. L. Pegg; 4th committeeman, Bro. Oscar Stickwood; 5th committeeman, Wor. Bro. Thos. Hayes; auditors, Bro. Geo. Allison, Wor. Bro. Stewart Stickwood.

Bro. Jas. Storach reported the five band is making good progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr spent Sunday afternoon in Keswick with Mr. and Mrs. S. Pegg.

Pte. Frank Ross, with the postal depot at Ottawa, was home over the weekend.

Miss E. Hayes and Mrs. Watson spent the weekend with friends at Port Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calver gave a dinner in honor of their son, John, and his bride, the former Dorothy Jobson of Ottawa. Covers were laid for 20 guests. The toastmasters were Kenneth Ross and Chas. Scott. Roy Stewart gave a reading, humorously describing the "in-law" question. The young couple received some nice gifts and an enjoyable evening was spent by all. John is stationed at the R.C.A.F. training school at Uplands, Ottawa.

The United church are having a "white gift" shower at the service on Sunday, Dec. 21, and also at Sunday-school.

The Sunday and public schools will hold their concert in the town hall on Monday, Dec. 22.

The following articles were packed this week by the Mount Albert unit of the Red Cross: five seamen's turtle-neck sweaters, six khaki and grey turtle-neck sweaters, seven khaki scarves, one lady's scarf, nine pairs short seamen's socks, eight pairs long seamen's stockings, five pairs khaki socks, three helmets;

Two boys' sweaters, three pairs of gloves, eight pairs of grey mitts, 11 pairs of children's mitts, one washcloth, four coat and bonnet sets, 14 pairs of soakers, 12 pairs of booties, eight pairs of boys' pyjamas, two cot quilts, three large quilts, \$2 for blankets.

Refugee articles: one man's sweater, one large cape, one lady's coat, one child's raincoat, five children's dresses, one neck scarf, one pair socks.

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Dec. 19th - at 2.00 p.m., D.S.T.

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5	Best lot of 6 Chickens	2.00	1.50	.75
6	Best Pair Chickens	1.25	.75	.50
7	Heaviest Turkey	1.00		
8	Heaviest Goose	1.00		
9	Heaviest Pair Chickens	1.00		
10	Best 2 Dozen Hen's Eggs, white	.75	.50	.25
11	Best 2 Dozen Hen's Eggs, brown	.75	.50	.25
12	5 lbs. Dairy Butter Prints	.75	.50	.25
13	6 qt. Basket Snow Apples	.50	.25	
14	6 qt. Basket Spy Apples	.50	.25	
15	6 qt. Basket Any Other Kind	.50	.25	
16	6 qt. Basket Carrots	.50	.25	
17	Bushel Basket Parsnips	.75	.50	
18	Bushel Basket Potatoes	.75	.50	
19	Bushel Basket Beets	.75	.50	

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